

California OES

Daily Weather Risk Briefing

Wednesday, October 17, 2018

Days 1 (Wednesday): Much lighter winds expected, but off-shore flow and dry conditions lingering.

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Key Points

10/17 - 10/24

Wednesday-Thursday

- Much lighter winds expected, but off-shore flow and dry conditions lingering

Friday-Tuesday

- Slightly increased fire weather concerns due to a weaker Santa Ana offshore wind event across portions of Southern CA, primarily Saturday-Sunday.
 - Increased humidity may limit additional fire weather concerns
 - Less concerned compared to Monday-Tuesday's forecast briefing
 - Wind gusts 20-40 mph possible
- Showers and isolated thunderstorms possible starting Saturday evening in southern CA, and Monday evening in northern CA.



California OES Daily Risk Matrix

10/17 - 10/24

<u>RISK</u>	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Windy / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern
Damaging Winds (Non-thunderstorm)							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Heat Risk							
Marine/Coastal	Northern Coastal	Northern Coastal	Northern Coastal				

 No Impacts	 Slight Impacts	 Moderate Impacts	 Severe Impacts
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6-10 Day Outlook

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures very likely for the entire state.

Precipitation

- Equal chances of above or below normal precipitation in central and southern CA, and above normal precipitation in northern CA.

8-14 Day Outlook

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures very likely for the entire state.

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation in northern CA and below normal precipitation in central and southern CA.

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